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AMENDMENT

Applicant received a Non-Final Rejection on June 1, 2006. This Non-Final Rejection was appealed, the claims having been twice rejected (once in the Final Rejection dated August 9, 2004, and once in the Non-Final Rejection dated June 1, 2006).

Upon examination of the claims, Applicant noted that the listing of the claims provided in the May 26, 2005 Appeal Brief did not accurately reflect the claims provided in the May 17, 2004 Amendment. Accordingly, Applicant has elected to file the present Amendment in support of the concurrently filed Request for Continuing Examination. Applicant presently cancels claims 1-12 and adds claims 17-26 to more clearly define the invention. Claims 13-16 are withdrawn.

A request and fee for a one month extension of time is presented herewith.

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application: